



State Capitol | Lansing, Michigan 48913
PH (517) 373.2523 | FAX (517) 373.5669
www.senate.michigan.gov/gop/senator/johnson/

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Tuesday, July 1, 2003

Contact: Rebecca DeVooght
(517) 373-2523

****MEDIA ADVISORY****

Medicaid Program to Assist the Working Disabled Bill Signing

- What: Bill Signing, Senate Bill 22, "Michigan Freedom to Work for Individuals with Disabilities."
- When: 2 p.m., Wednesday, July 2
- Where: State Capitol Rotunda, Lansing
- Who: Sen. Shirley Johnson, R-Royal Oak; representatives from the Centers for Independent Living, the Michigan Commission for the Blind, United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) of Michigan, and other interested groups and individuals.
- Brief: "Michigan Freedom to Work for Individuals with Disabilities Law" allow disabled individuals who are currently on Medicaid to earn more than the current Medicaid income limits, without the loss of medical coverage, and accumulate assets.